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PETITION TO REVIVE ON THE GROUNDS OF  
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Sir:

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The undersigned feels that under the circumstances it is improper to charge any petition fee to respond to the Notice of Abandonment dated 10/4/2002. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$110 for petition to revive an unavoidably abandoned application to my Deposit Account No. 50-1267. A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.

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